

“Having Faith For Healing”

Mark 5:21-43

“That is how God clothes the grass of the field, which is here today and tomorrow is thrown into the fire will he not much more clothe you – you of little faith?” Matthew 6:30

“Have faith in God,” Jesus answered. “Truly I tell you, if you say to this mountain, ‘go, throw yourself into the sea,’ and do not doubt in your heart but believe that what you say will happen, it will be done for you. Therefore I tell you, whatever you ask for in prayer believe that you have received it, and it will be yours.” Mark 11:22-24

“This is the confidence we have in approaching God: that if we ask anything according to his will, he hears us. And if we know that he hears us, whatever we ask – we know that we have what we asked of him.” 1 John 5:14-15

Four different faith perspectives for healing in 21st century:

1. Divine healing no longer happens.
2. Divine healing can occur in extraordinary circumstances.
3. Divine healing is the ordinary way God works – but it is not guaranteed.
4. Divine healing always happens if there is faith.

What does it mean to have faith for healing?

What faith is not:

1. Faith in Jesus is not faith in my faith.
2. Faith in Jesus is not my knowledge of God’s timing.
3. Faith in Jesus is not a technique.
4. Faith in Jesus is not necessarily found in the sick person.
5. Faith in Jesus is not me understanding every situation.

What is faith?

Boldness!

“Therefore, let us draw near with boldness to the throne of grace – so that we may receive mercy and find grace in time of need.” Hebrews 4:16

“God is speaking to me now, saying, “I am the Lord that healeth thee.” He is watching over this Word to perform it. He is the Lord that healeth me. He is healing me now. This Word contains the ability to produce what it says. He is the Lord that healeth me. He is healing me now. His Word is full of healing power. I receive this Word now. I receive the healing that is in His Word now. Healing is inherent in God’s nature. God is in me. My body is the temple of God. My body is the temple of the Lord that healeth me. God is bigger than sickness and Satan. God is dwelling inside of me now, healing me now. The Lord that healeth me is my Shepherd; I do not lack healing. My body is in contact with the Lord that healeth me. My body has to respond to God’s healing life and nature at work in me now. Healing is in God, and God is in me. I thank You, Father, because You are my Healer; and You are healing me now.”